GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Ind & Com Department - Mines & Geology – Allegation of Corruption against Sri Kancharla Veera Swamy, the then Assistant Geologist, O/o Asst Director, Ongole - Trapped on 09.07.2020 - Article of Charges framed – Written Statement of Defence submitted - Appointment of Inquiry Authority - Orders - Issued.

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INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE (VIG) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 104 Dated: 23-06-2025

Read the following:

1. Proceedings No.16283/E1/2006 dt:14.07.2020 of the Director, Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam.
2. G.O.Rt.No.22, Ind & Com (Vig) Dept., dt.06.02.2024.
3. From the Commissioner &Director of Mines & Geology, Letter No.1900/E/VIG/2024; Dt. 07.05.2025.

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ORDER:

Whereas, an inquiry under Rule 20 of the APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 is being held against Sri Kancharla Veera Swamy, Assistant Geologist O/o Asst. Director, Regional Vigilance Squad, Ongole on the allegations that he demanded and accepted Rs.2,00,000/- as bribe from the complainant Sri Battu Vijay Sagar S/o Naga Raju, Challapalli Town & Mandal, Krishna District for doing official favour to reduce the compounding fee amount from Rs.5,00,000 to Rs.1,00,000 imposed during his inspection on 06.07.2020 with regard to the violations of condition of sand de-casting licence at Bommavanipalem village, Kollipara Mandal, Guntur District

2. And whereas, it is considered that an Inquiring Authority should be appointed to inquire into the charges framed against the said Sri Kancharla Veera Swamy, the then Assistant Geologist, O/o Asst Director, Ongole.

3. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-rule (2) of Rule 20 of A.P.C.S(CC&A) Rules, 1991, the Disciplinary Authority hereby appoints Sri A.Srinivasa Kumar, Dy Director of Mines & Geology as the Inquiring Authority to inquire into the charges framed against the said Sri Kancherla Veera Swamy, the then Assistant Geologist, O/o Asst Director, Ongole.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

PRAVIN KUMAR
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri Kancharla Veera Swamy, the then Assistant Geologist, O/o Asst Director, Ongole through Director of Mines and Geology, Ibrahimpatnam

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Sri A.Srinivasa Kumar, Dy Director of Mines & Geology (through Commissioner & Director of Mines and Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada)

**Copy To**:

Sri A. Manmadha Rao, Inspector of Police, ACB, Guntur (through the DG, ACB, PNBS, Vijayawada)

The Commissioner & Director of Mines and Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada.

The Director Gemeral, ACB, Vijayawada.

The Director, Translation wing, AP secretariat (with a request to translate the GO into Telugu version)

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SECTION OFFICER